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WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Siegenthaler, Peter **Report No:** WIR-021498 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 06-Mar-2011

City: Oakland, CA 94607

OSM Arrival Time: 700 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 1900 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

CWI Name: CWI Present: Yes Li Yang No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A Yes N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No Yes N/A N/A **Qualified Welders:** No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A Yes No N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS: Delayed / Cancelled:** Yes No N/A

34-0006 **Bridge No: Component: OBG Segments**

Summary of Items Observed:

On this date Caltrans OSM Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector, Dan Hernandez was present during the times noted above to observe the fit up, welding and related activities associated with the fabrication of the San Francisco Oakland Bay Self Anchored Suspension Bridge at Zhenhua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) facility on Changxing Island.

OBG Trial Assembly Yard

Segment 12AE

This QA Inspector observed Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) in progress of a fillet weld joint. The Weld joint is designated SEG3001Y-020, 021, Deck Plate I-rib hold back weld. The welder is identified as #200113 and was observed welding in the 4F(overhead) position using approved Welding Procedure Specification WPS-B-P-2114-FCM-1.

This QA Inspector observed Shielded Metal Arc Welding (SMAW) in progress of a fillet weld joint. The Weld joint is designated SEG3001Y-027, 028, Deck Plate I-rib hold back weld. The welder is identified as #067656 and was observed welding in the 4F(overhead) position using approved Welding Procedure Specification WPS-B-P-2114-FCM-1.

For the above mentioned welding activities ZPMC Quality Control (QC) Inspector is identified as LI Yang. The welding variables recorded by QC appeared to comply with the Applicable WPS.

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Segment 12BE/12CE

This QA Inspector observed ABF personnel performing Magnetic Particle Testing on the Side Plate transverse splice, cross beam and bike path side.

This QA Inspector observed ABF personnel performing Ultrasonic Testing on the Side Plate transverse splice, cross beam side.

Segment 12BW/12CW

This QA Inspector observed ABF personnel performing Ultrasonic Testing on the Bottom Plate transverse splice.

Segment 12BW

This QA Inspector observed ABF personnel performing Ultrasonic Testing on the Bottom Plate to Side Plate hold back weld, cross beam side at the east end of the segment.

Unless otherwise noted, all work observed on this date appeared to generally comply with applicable contract documents.

Due to inclement Weather work in the OBG Trial Assembly was limited.





Summary of Conversations:

No relevant conversations.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Eric Tsang, 150-0042-2372, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

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Inspected By:	Hernandez, Dan	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Miller,Mark	QA Reviewer